The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

i've been a subsciber to 'small dish' tv since 1993 when i worked for circuit city, now i have two boxes and have to move my satellite every sunday during football season. i went to echostar because i wanted web tv and direct tv didn't have it. the service at direct tv is awful lately and their computer billing system is terrible...at least at dish network you recieve decent service...i would love to upgrade my satellite but with 2 different servers...well i'm not made of money....please allow this merger and save us all some grief.

Sincerely,

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